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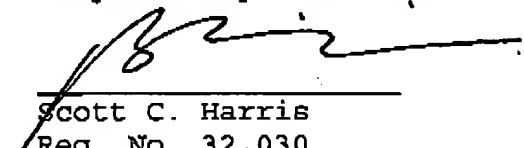
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Applicant : Sarath Gunapala et al. Art Unit : 2815  
Serial No.: 09/924,209 Examiner : Baumeister, B.  
Filed : August 7, 2001Title : Quantum Well Sensor Having Spatially Separated  
Sensing Columns (as amended)Commissioner for Patents  
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Respectfully submitted,

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Title : QUANTUM WELL SENSOR HAVING SPATIALLY SEPARATED SENSING COLUMNS (AS AMENDED)

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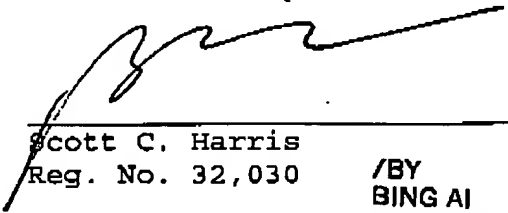
Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated September 17, 2004 which rejected claims 1-11.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 2 month(s) to and including February 17, 2005 is enclosed.

Payment in the amount of \$250 for the appeal fee is enclosed. Please apply any other applicable charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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